GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WATER RESOURCES
LOK SABHA

STARRED QUESTION NO:171
ANSWERED ON:13.12.2004
CONFERENCE ON INTER-STATE WATER DISPUTES
Rao Shri Kavuru Samba Siva;Rawale Shri Mohan

Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether a two day Conference of Chief Secretaries, Principal Secretaries (Irrigation) and Command Area Authorities of States and Union Territories was held at New Delhi recently to discuss issues relating to inter-State water disputes;

(b) if so, the details of discussions held in the Conference alongwith the outcome thereof;

(c) whether any new strategy has been formulated to resolve the inter-State water disputes; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI PRIYA RANJAN DASMUNSI)

(a) to (d) A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) to (d) OF STARRED QUESTION No.171 TO B E ANSWERED IN LOK SABHA ON 13.12.2004 REGARDING CONFERENCE ON INTER-STATE WATER DISPUTES.

(a) A two day Conference of Chief Secretaries, Principal Secretaries (Irrigation and Water Resources) and Command Area Development Authorities of States and Union Territories was held at New Delhi during August 2-3, 2004 to discuss various issues related to water resources development and management. The matter relating to inter-State water disputes was not on the agenda of the Conference.

(b) to (d) Do not arise.